REMARKS

The undersigned has added that claims 1-22 have been cancelled without disclaimer or prejudice. We apologize for the oversight in not presenting these claims to the Examiner in the Amendment submitted September 27, 2006.

To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (612.44903X00) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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